

IN PRISON FOR LIFE.

C. T. Wright Convicted and Sentenced to the Penitentiary for Murder.

CHICAGO POLITICIANS INDICTED FOR FRAUDS.

Charged by the Grand Jury With Conspiracy to Defeat a Fair Election—Crimes.

CHICAGO, May 2.—Owing to the disclosures of the wholesale election frauds in the Twenty-fourth ward the abyss that threatens to swallow the violators of law grows wider and deeper. The bank upon which the frightened suspects stand is caving rapidly, and there seems to be no chance for escape. Yesterday a Democratic grand jury returned an indictment against Ald. James R. McCabe. Along with McCabe seven others were indicted. Their names are M. J. Corcoran, Walter, alias John Horn, who is a restaurant waiter; William H. Mitchell, a gambler, who was at one time a Pinkerton race-track detective; John Dengwall, now a special policeman; Stephen Collins, a "gang" leader, and Capt. White, who is charged with operating and paying a gang of repeaters from the Hotel Superior on North Clark street. These men are all indicted together, charged with conspiracy to prevent a fair election. Corcoran is indicted on two additional charges for violation of the election law. The bill is \$5,000 in each case.

The evidence against all the persons indicted is furnished by the men now in jail. Three of the men in jail were not indicted. This was explained to be owing to the fact that the grand jury had not had time to investigate the cases. The names of these three men are Neal, Jackson and Hayes. There are unmistakable indications of false registration on the books of the election commissioners. The fact that twenty men registered from one house with only about a dozen beds in it is enough to satisfy any one that something is wrong. The first witness was taken before the grand jury at noon, and at 3:45 o'clock the indictments were turned into Judge Grinnell's court. Of the two against Corcoran one charges him with corruptly procuring forty persons who are not named, to falsely vote upon their names at the election held in the 24th ward April 1. The other charges him with unlawfully and feloniously inducing John Horn, alias Walter, "to vote more than once—twice, twenty-times—for a certain candidate at the same election." The third indictment charges that Corcoran, James R. McCabe, and others named, and others not named, did "feloniously, fraudulently, and deceitfully conspire, combine, confederate, and agree together, and pay money, and counsel, and procure a large number of other persons, a more particular description of whom is unknown, to then and there, knowingly, willfully, fraudulently, and feloniously, vote more than once—to wit, 100 times each—for a certain candidate for the same office at said election."

The grand jury heard nearly a dozen witnesses, and the evidence against Corcoran and McCabe seemed so strong that there was not a dissenting voice on the vote to return a bill against them. One of the witnesses—testified that McCabe paid him for his share in the work of voting early and often, and all the witnesses agreed that the details of the scheme were arranged in the back room of Corcoran's saloon at 85 Clark street. Besides Horn, the strongest witness against McCabe was Louis White, the republican election clerk of the 17th precinct, who was persuaded by the alderman-elect to testify before Justice Kersten that he did not recognize Horn as the man who had voted twice at his precinct, thus securing his release.

The other six prisoners in the jail were marshalled before the jury, and it was authoritatively stated that all had pleaded guilty to the crime, and were the only ones of the lot indicted.

WRIGHT GETS A LIFE SENTENCE.

The Benzonia Murderer Taken to Prison at Jackson.

FRANKFORT, Mich., May 2.—After a long and tiresome trial, C. T. Wright, the slayer of Frank L. Thurston and Neal Marshall, has been convicted of murder in the first degree and was sentenced to imprisonment for life at hard labor in the state prison at Jackson, Mich. The accused showed throughout the entire trial manifested but little uneasiness or anxiety as to the result. One thing more noticeable than all others was the expression of his face, which seldom changed, showing an unusual amount of coolness at all times. The only thing that seemed to affect him was his young wife, who was constantly by him. When the closing argument of the prosecution was being addressed to the jury she was taken from the room. A stay of two months was asked by the defense to prepare for the trial, but was denied by the court.

Bank Cashier Indicted.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., May 2.—R. R. Whitthorne, late cashier of the National Bank of Shelbyville, was indicted in two cases by the federal grand jury. One of these indictments charges Whitthorne with perjury in the carrying of false reports to the comptroller. The other charges him with attempting to defraud the bank.

Woman Charged With Embezzlement.

COVINGTON, Ind., May 2.—Mrs. Calvin Myers was arrested here on a charge made by Edward Hathaway of embezzling \$1,700 of his money. On failure to give bail of \$4,000 she was placed in jail. This woman claims to be the heir of Peter Goolet, of New York.

Big Express Robbery in Texas.

DENVER, Colo., May 2.—It is reported here that the Wells-Fargo Express messenger on a Southern Pacific train was robbed last night of \$45,000 at Eagleville, Tex. The particulars of the robbery cannot yet be obtained.

Madison Highwaymen Rob a Coach.

TUCSON, Ariz., May 2.—The stage coming from Bowie to Thomas was stopped by two Mexicans yesterday morning. Express matter was taken and passengers compelled to surrender their valuables.

Stock Yards Set on Fire.

ALBANY, N. Y., May 2.—Half of the West Albany stock yards, which cover fifteen acres, was destroyed by fire last night. Two sheep pens which cost \$18,500 were destroyed, with 650 tons of hay and a large amount of grain. Incendiaries are suspected. At midnight the fire was still burning.

A \$50.00 outfit will be furnished on 30 days time to the first responsible agent that applies for it, with a guarantee of \$150.00 profit in four weeks or no pay. Exclusive control of your county given. Something new and with great possibilities. We prove our responsibility, \$5.00 down, with stamp, A. B. JAMES & Co., Racine, Wis.

PUBLIC DEBT STATEMENT.

During the Month of April the Debt Decreased \$7,636,901.

WASHINGTON, May 2.—Following is the public debt statement just issued:

INTEREST-BEARING DEBT.

Bonds at 4 1/2 per cent.	\$112,921,250
Bonds at 4 per cent.	606,551,030
Refunding certificates at 4 per cent.	106,273
Navy pension fund at 3 per cent.	14,000,000
Pacific railroad bonds at 6 per cent.	64,623,519
Principal.	\$797,802,082
Interest.	6,653,271
Total.	\$804,455,353

DEBT ON WHICH INTEREST HAS CEASED SINCE MATURITY.

Principal.	\$1,836,045
Interest.	149,702
Total.	\$1,985,747

DEBT BEARING NO INTEREST.

Old demand and legal tender notes.	\$346,737,438
Certificates of deposit.	8,706,000
Gold certificates.	134,642,830
Silver certificates.	292,923,348
Fractional currency.	504, estimated as lost or destroyed.
Principal.	799,011,194
Interest.	\$1,589,639,322
Total.	6,212,974

TOTAL DEBT.

Principal.	\$1,589,639,322
Interest.	6,212,974
Total.	\$1,595,852,296

Less cash items available for reduction of U. S. notes.

Less cash items available for reduction of U. S. notes.	\$444,390,904
Less reserve held for redemption of U. S. notes.	100,000,000
Total debt less available cash.	\$1,051,461,392
Net cash in the treasury.	35,930,623

DEBT LESS CASH IN THE TREASURY.

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BRIEFLETS.

The Janesville Steam Laundry do fine work.

Miss Louise Holloway entertains the Fortnightly Club to-night.

Mrs. J. B. Day went to Madison to-day to instruct her scholars in that city in a literary exercise.

When you want superior work leave your clothes with the Janesville Steam Laundry. They guarantee satisfaction.

Rock River Encampment No. 3, I. O. O. F., occupy Odd Fellows' hall this evening—regular semi-monthly meeting.

Census Superintendent J. C. Metcalf received a day load of supplies from headquarters this morning.

People's Lodge No. 463, Independent Order of Good Templars, assemble in regular weekly meeting this evening—lodge room in Court Street M. E. church block.

Olive Branch Lodge No. 36, Ancient Order of United Workmen, assemble in regular semi-monthly meeting this evening—lodge room in L. berry hall, East Milwaukee street.

Yesterday Dr. Samuel Bell, of Beloit, received official notification of his appointment as examining surgeon in pension cases, with headquarters in Janesville. Dr. Bell succeeds the late Dr. Brant, of Beloit.

Y. P. S. C. E. social at the Baptist church Friday evening. Musical and literary programme to commence at eight o'clock, after which refreshments will be served. All members and their friends cordially invited.

Only about thirty school keepers have so far filed their applications for licenses. Only one of the number applies for a wholesale permit. A monopoly of the wholesale or bottle trade may prove a bonanza to the man who gets it.

Mrs. Mary A. Libbey yesterday sold her residence, 186 Linn street, to James Walsh, Esq., who will remodel it for a home and will occupy it very soon. The sale was effected through the agency of Geo. L. & Sarah H. Carrington.

The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held at Mrs. Hays' parlors, West Milwaukee street, Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock. All ladies interested in the work are requested to be present, as some important matters are to come before the society.

Last evening at the Light Infantry armory, the N. O. W. Club gave the most successful party of their winter series. The attendance was unusually large, and joy reigned supreme. The armory was tastefully decorated and Smith & Anderson never discarded finer music. It was at a late hour that the party broke up and all agreed that it was the most enjoyable party of the series.

CIRCUIT COURT.

The Case of Flagg Against Wolf Decided in Favor of the Plaintiff.

Last yesterday afternoon in the circuit court the jury in the case of Jacob Flagg et al. against J. P. Wolf rendered a verdict in favor of the plaintiff.

The defendant moved to set the verdict aside and for a new trial, which motion will not be argued until the close of the jury trials.

This morning the criminal calendar was called and the following cases moved for trial by District Attorney M. Malone.

The State vs. Nick Moran.

The State vs. Ira Orndall.

The State vs. J. O. Darbin.

The State vs. Abraham and Henry Fox.

A jury was then empaneled in the action of Charles W. Fox et al. against Fred Schenck. This is an action brought for the purpose of recovering damages for sheep which it was claimed the defendant's dog killed.

The defendant among other things claims that his dog was cross-eyed and could not have seen to catch a sheep and therefore he is not liable. The case will probably take all day.

PERSONAL.

Mr. Charles Carlson is in Beloit to-day.

Mr. J. H. Burns is in Monroe on business to-day.

Mrs. Peter Rook is visiting friends in Portage, Wis.

Miss Marie Babcock has returned from a visit with Chicago friends.

D. J. Concanon left for Brodhead on business this morning.

Mr. E. S. Demaret, of New York, is in the city, looking over the business interests of the town. Mr. Demaret formerly lived in Chili. He is stopping at the Windsor.

THE FORTNIGHTLY CLUB.

They Will Meet To-night with Miss Louise Holloway, No. 7 East Street North.

This evening the Fortnightly Club will meet in a literary and business session with Miss Louise Holloway, No. 7 East street, north. This meeting will be a combination of business and pleasure.

After the programme has been carried out there will be a business meeting of the club members. Two papers will be read, "The Green Back Party" and "The Labor Party of 1875." The discussion which will follow the papers will be led by the Rev. C. F. Elliott.

THE MADISON PRESBYTERY.

The Spring Meeting Will Convene in the Presbyterian Church, this City, on Tuesday Evening.

The Madison Presbytery will hold its regular spring meeting in the Presbyterian church, this city, beginning with public services Tuesday evening, May 6th. The programme of business and public exercises occupies the time until Thursday noon, May 8th.

The Ladies' Free Presbyterian Missionary Society will have a meeting on Wednesday, May 7th, morning and afternoon in the parlors of the Congregational church. These meetings all are cordially invited to attend. Full programme will be given later.

W. F. BROWN, Stated Clerk.

To Nervous Debilitated Men

If you will send us your address, we will mail you our illustrated pamphlet explaining all about Dr. Dyce O'Leary's Electro-Vitalic Belt and Appliances, and their charming effects upon the nervous debilitated system, and how they will quickly restore you to vigor, and manhood. Pamphlet free. If you are thus afflicted, we will send you a Belt and Appliance on a trial.

YOLTAZ BELT CO., Marshall Mich.

THE FISHING RECORD.

The Season Opened Yesterday and Many Took Advantage of It.

Yesterday was May first, and according to the laws of Wisconsin the catching of game fish was allowable. Many from this city took advantage of the fine weather and tried their hand with rod and reel.

At Indian Ford the sport is said to be good. The water is getting clear again after melting snow and spring rain have made it turbulent and "muddy," and the fish will begin to bite. Live minnows can be caught in abundance in almost any shallow stream or the sandy shore of a river. At Catfish or Fulton the fishing is also excellent and many fish were caught in the city limits at the upper and lower dams.

Yesterday a party consisting of Messrs. B. G. Carter, Henry Blunk and H. H. McKenney visited Indian Ford and succeeded in capturing about sixty fish of all kinds, of which number thirty-eight were black bass. The balance were pike and pickerel.

A party consisting of Messrs. A. P. Davies, Will Erenson, and Geo. M. McKay, of this city, and Mr. F. Trapp, of Chicago, visited Catfish Creek at Fulton yesterday, and in the day's fishing succeeded in capturing about fifty black bass, pike and pickerel.

Why it is that people are always crazy to "go fishing" in the spring is something that philosophers and sages cannot discover. The ordinary human being cannot withstand the fascination of sitting on a dock or bank of the river, for an unlimited number of hours if his patience is only rewarded by a snicker or two, and chances are that when he gets a fish his wife will not dress it, and as the majority of men despise such work the cat or dog will get what the fisherman expected for breakfast; and how he will eat when he gets home from a day's fishing. Standing in the water with a pair of big-boots on his feet, an old slouch hat on his head, an fishing rod in his hand, and probably a corn-cob pipe in his mouth, seems to have an unexplainable faculty of making a man feel as though the lunch that he thought would be enough for an army, would hardly last fifteen minutes. The pure air of the woods, the bright sunshine, the dancing water, green grass and budding trees, have a charm for the anglers that cannot be felt by anyone else. They will stand winter cold and summer heat for the sake of feeling the sensation of landing a two-pound black bass with a nine ounce rod, and go back to their work refreshed and feeling as though they had a new lease of life.

Hold it to the Light.

The man who tells you confidentially just what will cure your cold is prescribing Kimp's Balsam this year. In the preparation of this remarkable medicine for coughs and colds no expense is spared to combine only the best and purest ingredients. Hold a bottle of Kimp's Balsam to the light and look through it; notice the bright, clear look; then compare with other remedies. Price 50 cents and \$1. Sample bottle free.

THE WEATHER.

For Wisconsin—Warmer Weather—Winds Generally Southwesterly.

At seven o'clock this morning the thermometer indicated 48 degrees above zero. Clear with south wind. At 9 o'clock, p. m. the register was 68 degrees above zero. Clear with south wind. For the corresponding hours one year ago the register was 41 and 57 degrees above zero.

Tourists.

Whether on pleasure bent or business, should take on every trip a bottle of Syrup of Sarsaparilla. It acts most pleasantly and effectively on the kidneys, liver and bowels, preventing fevers, headaches and other forms of sickness. For sale in 50c and \$1.00 bottles by all leading druggists.

MUNICIPAL COURT.

To-day's Proceedings Before Judge Patterson's Court.

Yesterday afternoon the case of the State against Church charged with assault and battery was dismissed by the judge.

This afternoon Marshal Hogan brought in a drunk which he found on Milwaukee street in a helpless state of intoxication. The man pleaded guilty and was fined ten dollars and costs, or ten days in jail. He was shot the ten dollars and so will rest for ten days at the county hotel.

The Interest Shown in Fish Culture in Wisconsin—Supt. Nevins' Report.

The state fish commissioners held a meeting in Milwaukee Wednesday. The following members were present: President Philo Dunning and Superintendent James Nevins, Madison; Oliver Spence, Mineral Point; Mark Douglas, Melrose; E. T. Miner, Sturgeon Bay; C. L. Valentine, Janesville; A. V. H. Carpenter, Milwaukee. Superintendent Nevins submitted his report. There were distributed during the season 3,290,000 brook trout, 3,000,000 California trout, 250,000 wall-eyed pike and 26,000,000 whitefish. This year the superintendent expects to supply the inland lakes with about 30,000,000 wall-eyed pike, and he has made arrangements for securing a large supply of white and black bass spawn. The need of a new hatching house was pointed out in the report and attention called to the interest taken in fish culture throughout the state.

WHAT IS A COLD IN THE HEAD? Medical authorities say it is due to uneven clothing of the body, rapid cooling when in a perspiration, &c. The important point is, that a cold in the head is an indication of the lungs being affected by the nose, which, when unchecked, is certain to produce a catarrhal condition of the throat. It is essentially a "cold" which means no longer able to "breathe" or "throw off." Ely's Green Balm has proved its superiority, and sufferers should resort to it before that common ailment becomes seated and ends in obstinate catarrh.

Special California Excursions.

The Chicago & Northwestern Railway Co. has arranged for a series of weekly excursions to California in through Coldest cars from Chicago to San Francisco without change. Accommodations in these cars are available for holders of either first or second class tickets, and completely furnished dining berths are provided for \$1.00 each, Chicago to San Francisco. These cars will leave Chicago every Wednesday at 10:30 p. m. and arrive in San Francisco the following Sunday at 10:30 a. m. For full and complete information apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern Railway Co.

BUNKER HILL GETS IT.

The Hanson Furniture Company Locate Their Factory in the Second Ward.

THE TWENTY-FIVE LOTS ALL SOLD AT \$200 EACH.

The Board of Directors Completing Plans and Arrangements for Building the Factory.

The board of directors of the Hanson Furniture Co. held a meeting this afternoon in the office of Judge Sale, and after discussing the different locations for the factory building, accepted the proposition offered by Hon. John J. R. Pease, being a building site by the Northwestern railway track in the second ward. The proposition also includes a donation of twenty-five building or residence lots 48 rods in size near St. Mary's avenue.

The directors immediately adjourned, and proceeded to the grounds for the purpose of further examination.

It is understood that everything is now in readiness to award the contracts for the building of the factory, and the Hanson Furniture Company will be in full operation, and that it will be the commencement of the manufacturing growth of Janesville.

The twenty-five lots donated by Mr. Pease have all been sold at \$200 each, thus insuring the company a cash bonus of \$5,000 in addition to the building site.

MEMORIAL DAY EXERCISES.

Department Commander Bryant, G. A. R., Issues a General Order.

The customary Memorial Day order has been issued to the Grand Army posts of Wisconsin by Department Commander Bryant. The commander says:

The approach of Memorial Day admonishes us of our duty to the dead. In calling attention to the observance of the day set apart for remembering our sacred dead, the department commander feels that he cannot do his duty better than to refer our thoughts to general orders No. 11, issued from national headquarters in 1883, by Comrade John A. Logan, then commander-in-chief, and by republishing the same. Memorial Day, with its beautiful and impressive ceremonies and services, has its beginning from the promulgation of these orders.

Then follows the text of General Logan's order, in which occurs this paragraph:

Let us, then, at the time appointed, gather around their sacred remains and garland the passional mounds above them with the choicest flowers of spring-time; let us raise above them the dead clasp that they saved from dishonor; let us in this solemn presence renew our pledges to aid and assist those whom they have left among us a sacred charge upon a nation's gratitude—the soldier's and sailor's widow and orphan. It is the purpose of the commander-in-chief to inaugurate this observance with the hope that it will be kept up from year to year, while a survivor of the war remains to honor the memory of his departed comrades.

Commander Bryant directs that this order be read as a part of the Memorial Day services held by Wisconsin posts. Gen. Alger, the commander-in-chief, has also issued an order relative to the observance of the day.

If you once try Carter's Little Liver Pills for sick headache, biliousness or constipation, you will never be without them. They are purely vegetable; small and easy to take. Don't forget this.

PETTY BOODLEISM.

Several Madison Officials Caught and Investigated.

A Madison dispatch to the Milwaukee Sentinel: The committee of the common council appointed to investigate the charges of petty "boodleism" in connection with the purchase of hose for the city fire department, rendered its report to-night. The investigation has been an exhaustive one. The committee, headed by Chief Engineer Hughes and Aldermen King and Sheehy had been guilty of official misconduct, and recommended that Chief Hughes be removed from his position and the two aldermen expelled from the council. A resolution was adopted calling a special meeting of the council to take action on the committee's report. The outcome of the affair has awakened the sensation of the city considerably, as it would be sweeping in its recommendations. King is a republican and Sheehy a democrat. Both are members of the committee reported in favor of dropping Policeman John Lewis from the city force, he also being mixed up in the matter somewhat.

It is said that the chief's price was \$50, while the others received smaller sums.

Hood's Sarsaparilla possesses curative powers exclusively its own, and which is peculiar to itself. Be sure to get Hood's.

A WIFE'S OBLIGATIONS.

When She Ought to be Made to Support Her Husband.

Madison Journal: Secretary A. O. Wright, of the state board of charities and reform, visited the poor-house and jail in Waukesha county recently. In the poor-house he found a case that is a peculiar one and one that will find its way into the courts. It appears that a man possessed of considerable property made it all over to his wife, who subsequently sent him to the poor-house. On learning the facts Secretary Wright advised that an action in equity be brought in the courts against the wife to support her husband. In general while a husband is under legal obligations to support his wife, the wife is not similarly obliged to support her husband. Secretary Wright holds, however, that in accepting the property the wife made an implied contract to support her husband, and that the same would be enforced by a court of equity. There are no decisions bearing on this point, but it is a good one for lawyers to ponder over.

Forced to Leave Home.

Over 60 people were forced to leave their homes yesterday to call at their druggists for a free trial package of Lane's Family Medicine. If your blood is bad, your liver and kidneys out of order, if you are constipated and have headache and an uneasy complexion, don't fail to call at once and get a trial package of this grand remedy. The ladies prize it. Everybody likes it. Large-size package 50 cents.

DROWNED AT ROCKLAND.

Chas. S. Roberts, Son of Rev. W. S. Roberts

The Rockland Free Press, of April 23d, contains the following particulars of the death of Chas. S. Roberts, son of Rev. W. S. Roberts, who at one time was pastor of the Baptist church in this city. The article will be read by many friends of the family with feelings of sincere sympathy.

"One of the saddest drowning accidents that ever occurred here was on Monday night, when Chas. S. Roberts, the eldest son of Rev. Dr. W. S. Roberts, D. D., of the First Baptist church in this city, lost his life while out rowing in Rockland harbor."

He was last seen alive at about seven o'clock in the evening. It is known that he intended to go out in his boat for the purpose of exercise as he had invited his brother, H. F. Roberts, to accompany him, but as the latter had recently come from the south and was not in robust health he did not go. The young man did not return that night and the boat was found Tuesday morning high on the beach at "Easter's Cove," about two and one half miles from here. One oar lay in the boat and the other was found on the beach not far distant. His hat was in the boat, also a rubber coat. His overcoat was found hanging in the boat house. He was an expert hand at the oars and a capital swimmer, and it was at first thought that he must have been run down by some passing vessel, but as the boat showed no appearance of collision, and had shipped no water, the accident is not easy to infer. Whether he fell into the water near the wharf, or near where the boat was discovered, or at some point between may never be known.

He had been at home but a short time from Philadelphia, where he had taken his degree at Hahnemann College, and was intending to commence the practice of his profession in Omaha, Nebraska, sometime this coming summer. It is also understood that he contemplated entering the married state sometime in the very near future, his affianced being at the time of his sudden demise, on her way east from California, and will probably arrive here to-day or to-morrow.

All circumstances of the affair contribute to make it singularly sad. The afflicted family of the young man are in need of sympathy, and we know that wherever the young man was known and the circumstances of his demise have been learned, the people are deeply in sympathy with his bereaved friends and the family from whom he has been taken.

IF SICK HEADACHE IS MISERY, what are Carter's Little Liver Pills if they positively cure it? People who have used them speak frankly of their worth. They are small and easy to take.

SIZE AND LONGEVITY.

No Fixed Relation Between Them, Though Large Organizations Live Long.

Although there is some relation between size and longevity, the duration of the period of growth and length of life being, speaking generally, longest in the largest animals, there is no fixed relation between the two. The largest organizations live the longest, some trees reaching the age of 6,000 years, and some animals, as whales, said to live to the age of 100 years. Maturity is reached, larger animals require longer time than smaller animals to secure the preservation of the species.

The explanation of this, as pointed out by both Leuckhart and Herbert Spencer, is that the absorbing surface of the more slowly will it reproduce its kind, while the size increases as the cube; and it therefore follows that the longer an animal becomes the greater will be the difficulty experienced in assimilating any nourishment over and above that which it requires for its own needs, and therefore, the more slowly will it reproduce itself. We, however, find corresponding duration of life among animals of every different size.

For instance, the toad and the cat live as long as the horse, the crayfish as long as the pig, and the pike and carp as long as the elephant. In an interesting paper, from which the following facts are taken, Dr. Weissman cites the case of a sea anemone which lived not less than sixty-six years. It was placed by Sir John Dalzell in a small glass jar in the Edinburgh botanical gardens in 1828, being then, as companions with other individuals, nearly from the egg period, fully seven years old. It died a natural death in 1894.

FARMERS HAVE AN EASY TIME.

An Oldman Who Enjoys Their Lot as Compared with That of the House Man.

A tired man of business was going homeward on a Columbus street car the other evening, and, moved, perhaps, by his fatigues and cares, said to a friend:

"The farmers are often supposed to be the class of all others in the general community who have a hard time and little pleasure. I think that is a great error of judgment on the part of those who study the condition of mankind. We who live in cities may have more amusement and on the whole more comfort, but we do not have the peace of mind that is the farmer's most valuable possession. They have no cares like business men; they do not lie awake at night thinking of the business of the next day."

"A farmer has his daily work, and after that is finished he is free until the next day. They have hard work, with the accompaniments of pure air, refreshing and dreamless sleep, and general indifference to everything except the weather and the crops. No, indeed; a business man may have pleasure, amusement, and many comforts, but mentally and physically the majority of farmers have an easier time."

A few boarders wanted at 206 South Franklin street.

For Sale Cheap.

If taken soon, new house and six acres of land on corner of Milton Avenue and Elida streets. In fine shape to sell in acre or half acre lots. D. CONGER.

WANTED—An active man for each section of the city, to sell and collect for the following: Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Jewelry, etc. Salary \$100 per month, plus commission. No. 100, to enroll members \$50.00 per month. \$100.00 per month. References exchanged. Mr. Lane's Association (credit well received) Lock Box 80 N. Y.

Jackets and wraps—largest stock at J. M. Bontwick & Sons.

If you want a fine, new home in this city, see me before you buy. D. CONGER.

RELIGIOUS INTELLIGENCE.

Dr. Osborn is the oldest member of the Wesleyan Methodist conference—he entered the ministry in 1828.

By a recent victory of the Catholic center in the Reichstag all Catholic students of theology in Germany are now exempt from military service.

The collections for the board of education of the Methodist Episcopal church during the last year were 36 per cent in advance of these taken in 1888.

The Wesleyan Methodists last year lost 42 members by death—three-fourths in Great Britain, five in Ireland, and three in foreign missions.

Mohammedanism in Turkey is evidently declining. The multiplication of mosques has almost ceased. Only one new one has been erected in Constantinople—one for the private use of the Sultan.

The Holy Father has determined to authorize the publication of all Vatican documents referring to the status of Rome. The book will cover the time from 1859 to 1870 and will of necessity be of great interest.

Mrs. Grover Cleveland has long been a member of the Presbyterian church, and a few weeks ago she was joined by her husband, who united with the Central Presbyterian church, New York city, the Rev. Wilton Merie Smith, pastor.

A correspondent of the Christian Advocate (Methodist) has been told that he will be done with a member of our church who will get under the influence of liquor, but always seems under the influence of the Holy Spirit when at church."

The Advocate replies: "A man who gets drunk is not under the influence of the Holy Spirit. The probability is he gets drunk and seems full of the Holy Spirit, and then falls over the place he is in. Put him under discipline. That will test him. So long as his case is overlooked he will be drunk and pious."

FASHION NOTES.

Erasing of monkey-fur is a cozy-looking finish for a walking jacket. It is also seen on princess dresses of black silk and cloth.